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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER
37 CFR 1.136(a)**

<i>Inventor(s)</i>	Michael D. Kilgore; ;		
<i>Title</i>	HIGH DENSITY PLASMA PROCESS FOR OPTIMUM FILM QUALITY AND ELECTRICAL RESULTS		
<i>Serial No.</i>	10/072,357	<i>Filed</i>	2/6/2002
<i>Examiner</i>	MARIA F. GUERRERO	<i>Group Art No.</i>	2822
<i>Docket No.</i>	NVS014 US	<i>Confirmation No.</i>	4288

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$110.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$420.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$950.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1,480.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2,010.00 |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:

☒ This amount is shown in the attached fee transmittal.

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

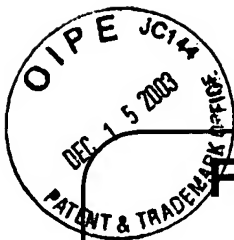
☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2263.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

The undersigned is the attorney of record.

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<i>Signature</i>			<i>Date</i> December 9, 2003



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FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR FY 2003

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Complete if Known

Application Number	10/072,357
Filing Date	2/6/2002
First Named Inventor	Michael D. Kilgore
Group Art Unit	2822
Examiner Name	Maria F. Guerrero
Attorney Docket No	NVS014 US

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

(\$492.00)

METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayments and credit any overpayments to:
- Deposit Account Number: 50-2263
- Deposit Account Name: Silicon Valley Patent Group LLP
- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27
2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:
- ☐ Check ☒ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	770	201	385	Utility filing fee	
106	340	206	170	Design filing fee	
107	530	207	265	Plant filing fee	
108	770	208	385	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$0.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	24	- 20** =	4	x	Fee from below	=	72\$
Independent Claims	1	- 3** =	0	x	84	=	0\$
Multiple Dependent			0		140	=	\$0

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	86	202	43	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	290	204	145	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid	
109	86	209	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$72.00)

** or number previously paid, if greater; For reissues, see above.

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	420	216	210	Extension for reply within second month	420
117	950	217	475	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,480	218	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	2,010	228	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	330	219	165	Notice of Appeal	
120	330	220	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	290	221	145	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,330	241	655	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,330	242	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	480	243	240	Design issue fee	
144	640	244	320	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions of the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per properties (times number of properties)	
146	770	246	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	770	249	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	770	279	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$420.00)

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